

Demographic changes that are transforming our state, with a focus on Greater
Minnesota



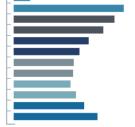






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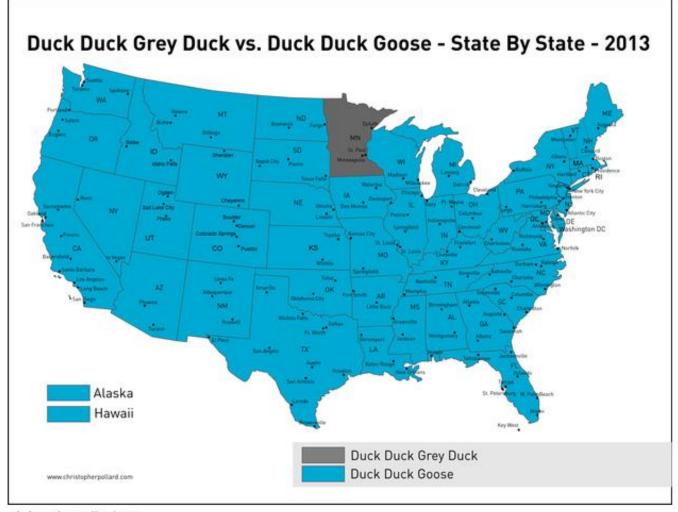


What is the role of the MN State Demographic Center?

- Serve as a liaison to the Census Bureau and assist with the decennial census counts
- Create MN population estimates and projections
- Analyze, interpret and distribute data from the state,
 U.S. Census Bureau and other sources
- Offer data and technical assistance to legislators, all levels of government, organizations and citizens across the state
- Monitor trends and help MN to make data-informed decisions



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Major demographic trends for Minnesota



QUIZ QUESTION

During the 2000s decade, how many of Minnesota's 87 counties gained population?

A. 20

B. 30

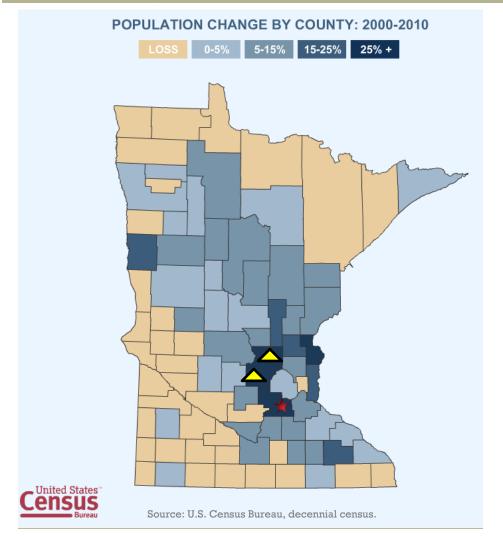
c. 40

D. 50





Population shifts during last decade (2000s)

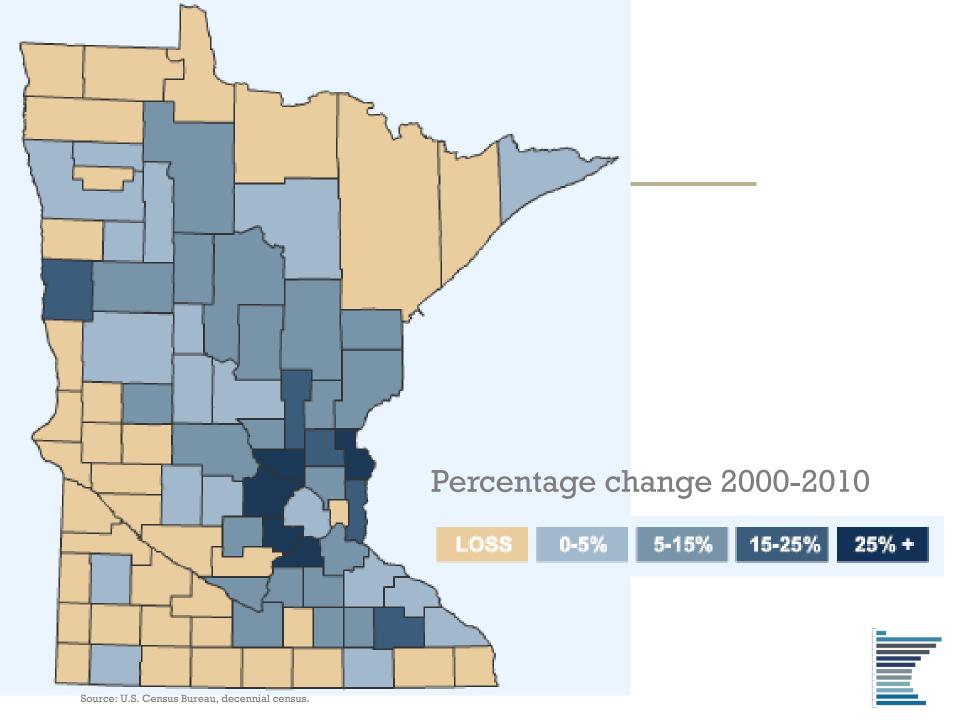


- Greatest growth in was in counties that ring the TC metro, as well as growth in a diagonal pattern across the state
 - Scott=45% growth!



■ Sherburne (37%) and Wright (39%)







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B. 48

C. 58

D. 68

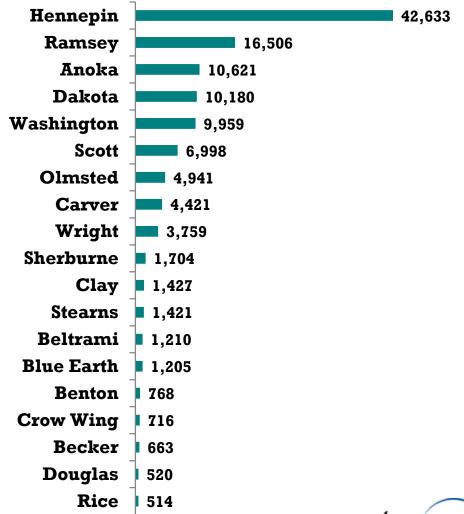




Since 2010 greatest absolute growth in Hennepin and Ramsey Counties

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2010 census, and MN State Demographic Center, 2013 Population Estimates

Population change, 2010-2013



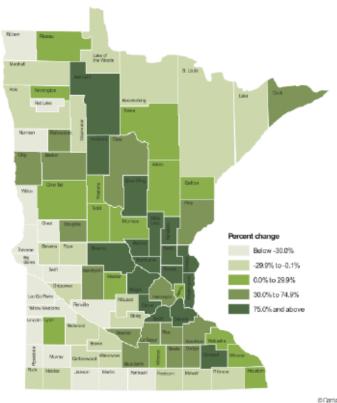




The long, historic view... population change since 1960

Long-term population change, 1960-2013





Looking at how the population has changed since 1960 shows the relentless shift from the rural counties to the urban and suburban cores of the Twin Cities, St. Cloud and Rochester. Sherburne County has seen the most growth, increasing by 601%.

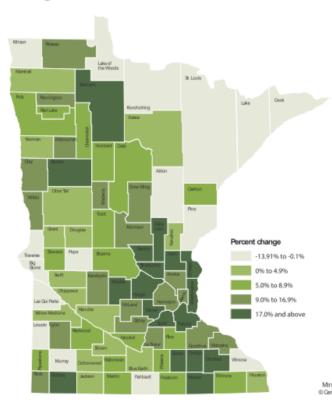
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Our county-level population projections through 2045

Projected population change, 2010-2045



15 counties expected to decline in population

 Northeastern and southwestern counties will lose population while growth will continue to radiate out from the Twin Cities and north into the central lakes region, with some substantial growth in southeastern MN.

Data source:
Minnesota State Demographic Center
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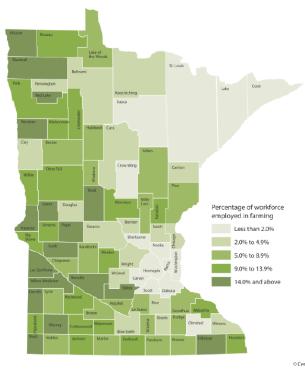




Many counties with strong farm workforce likely to lose population

Workforce in farming, 2011





 Only about 2.6% of Minnesota's workforce is employed directly in farming, but that figure varies significantly across the state.
 Some counties have 20% or more of their workforce working directly in farming.

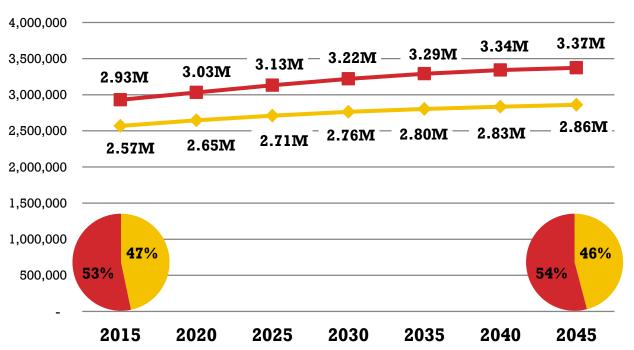
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Twin Cities & Greater MN both expected to grow through 2045

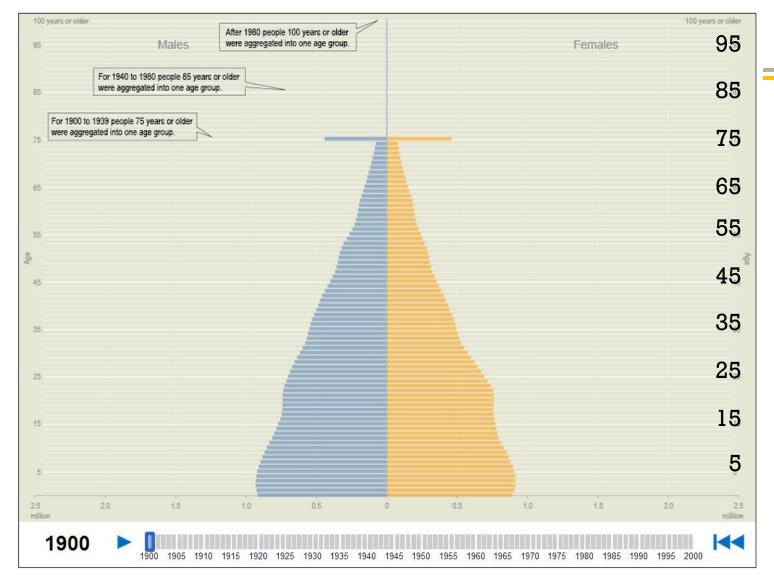
Population in Twin Cities 7-county region and balance of state (80-county), 2015-2045



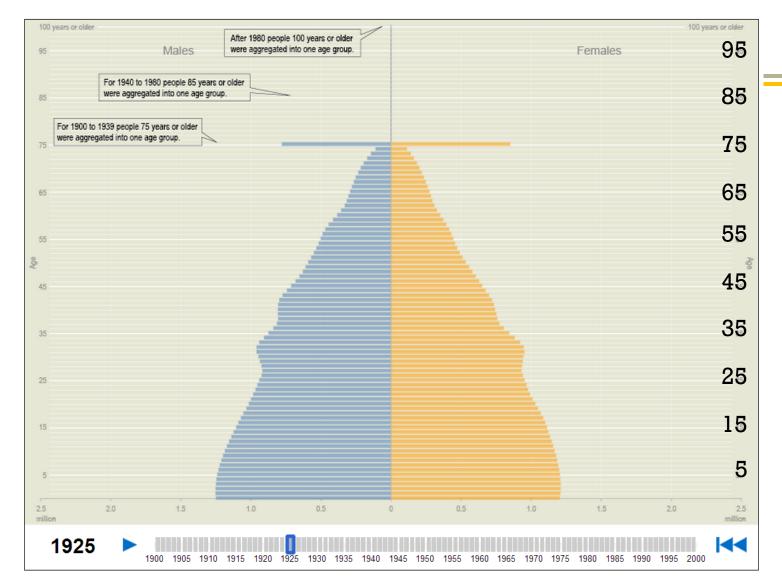
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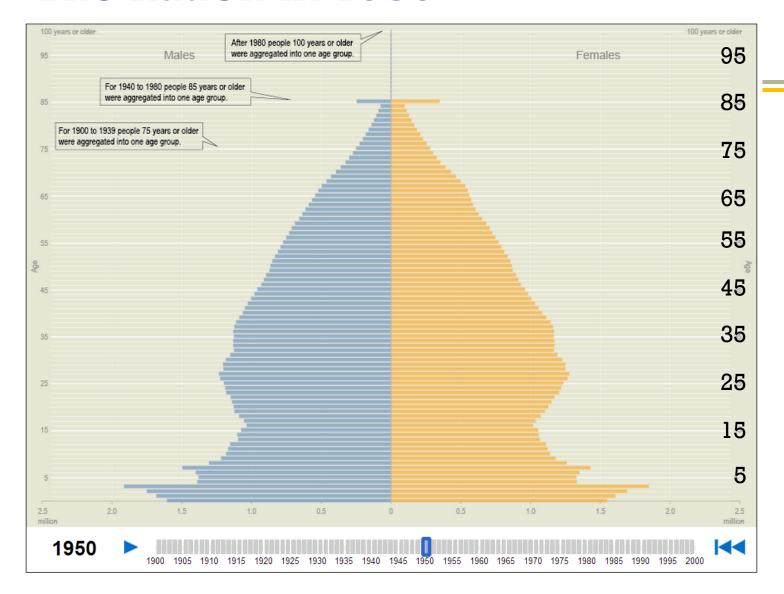




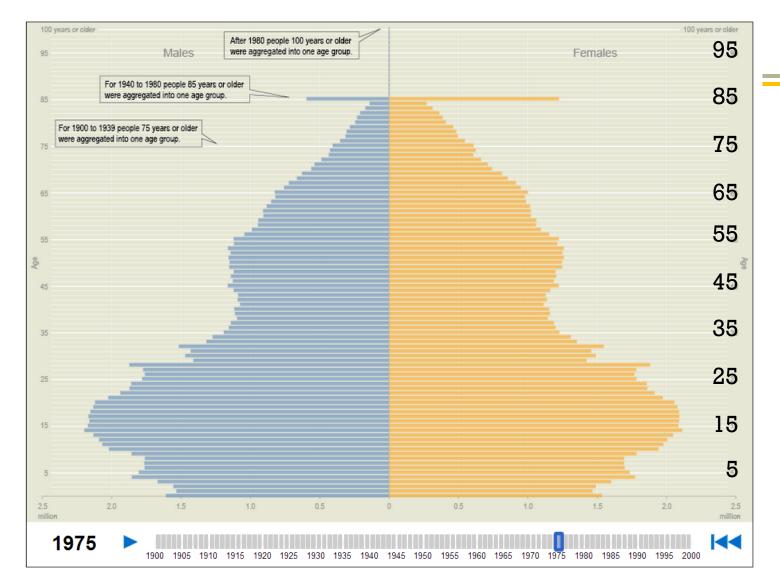




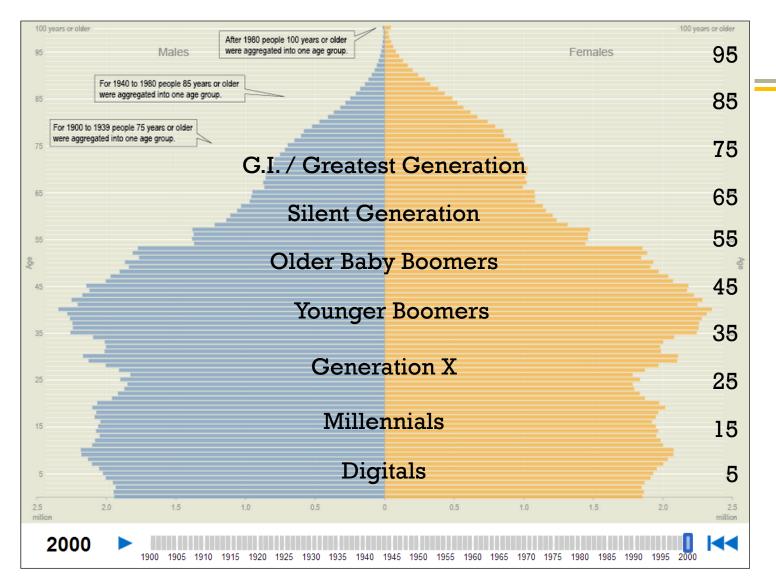












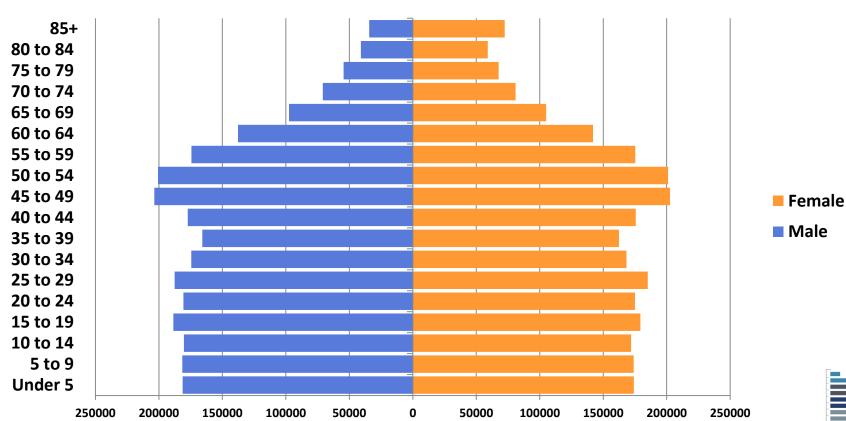




Minnesota total population in 5year bars, 2010 decennial census

Population by age and sex

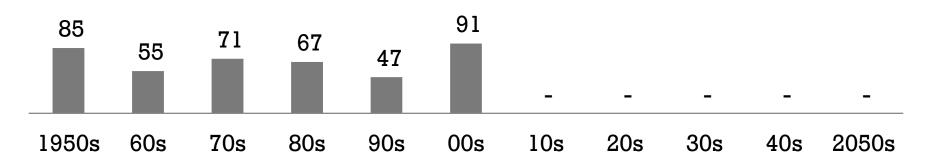
Minnesota, 2010





How many additional "older adults" will we gain during this decade?

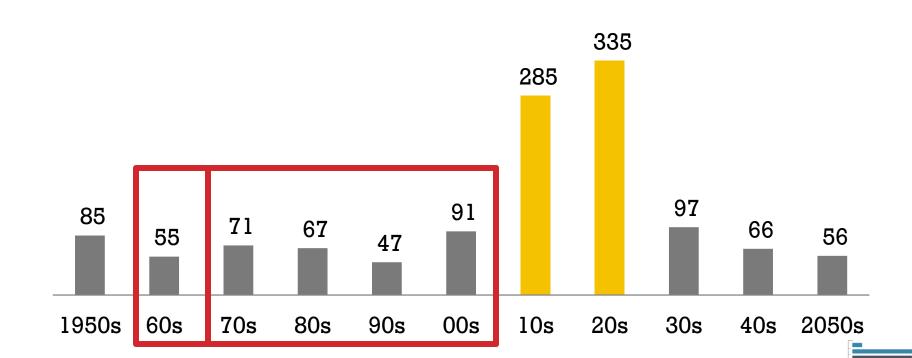
Change in older adults, age 65+ (Thousands)





This decade and next: Unprecedented increases in MN's 65+ population

Change in older adults, age 65+ (in thousands)



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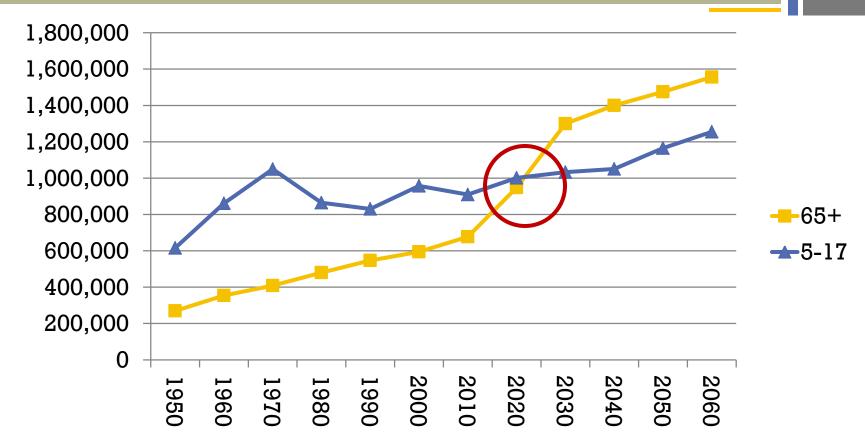


What event is predicted to happen in 2020 that has never before happened in the history of our state?

- A. The Vikings will win the Super Bowl
- B. MN will have more immigrants than U.S.-born residents
- c. MN will have more 65+ residents than school-age children, 5-17



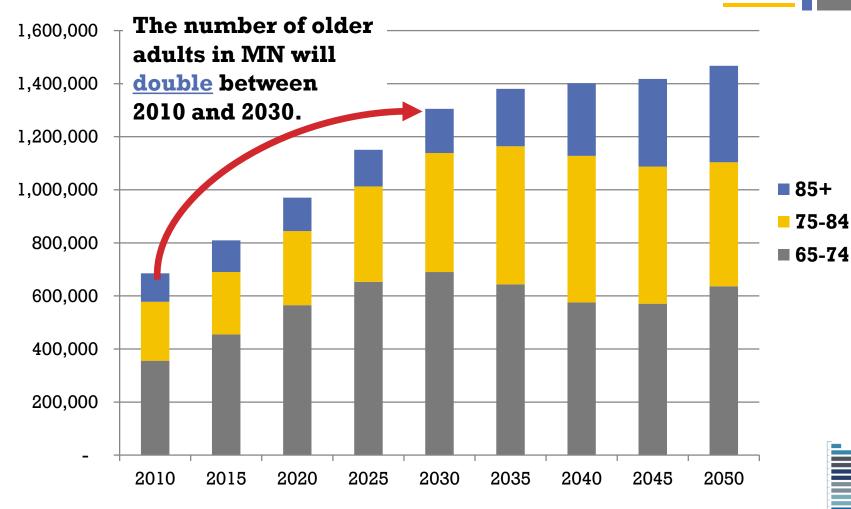
For the first time in MN history: More 65+ than school-age by 2020





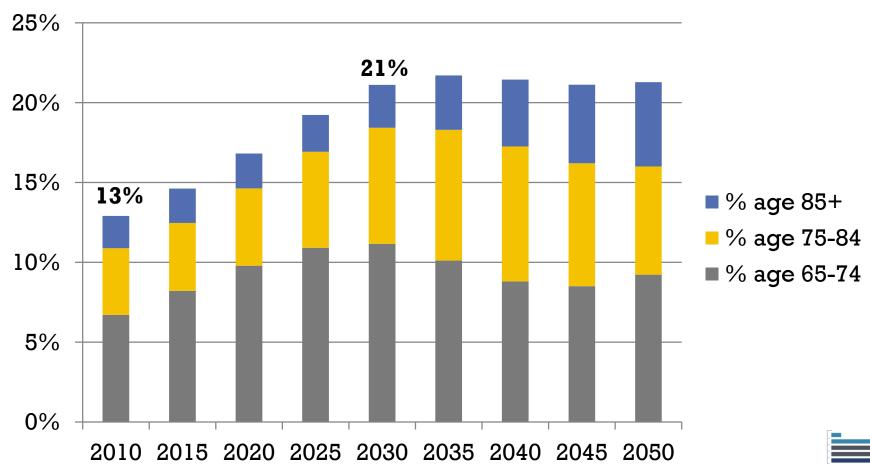


Older adults in Minnesota by age cohort, 2010-2050





By 2030, more than 1 in 5 Minnesotans will be 65+, including all Baby Boomers

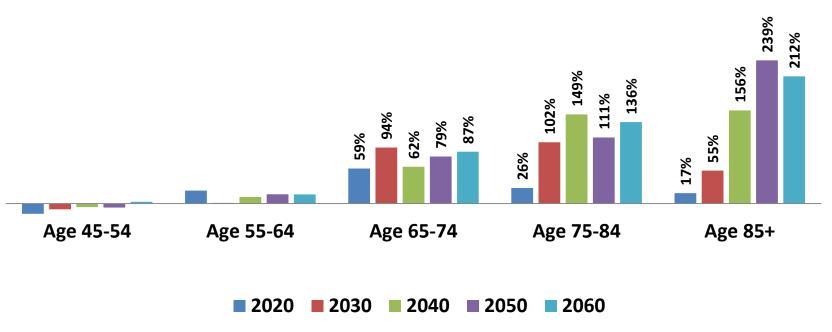






The coming decades will see dramatic growth in older cohorts

Expected percentage change in people by age cohorts, between 2010 and given year, Minnesota

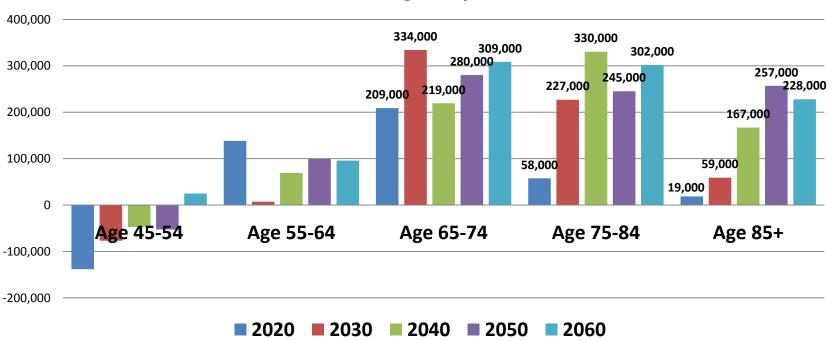






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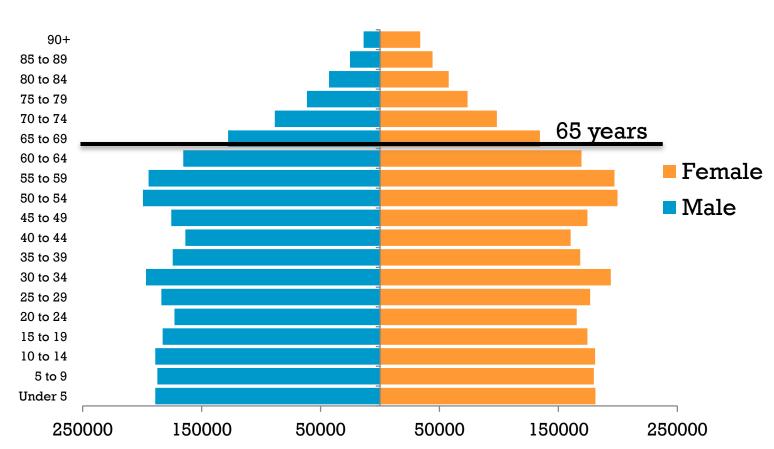
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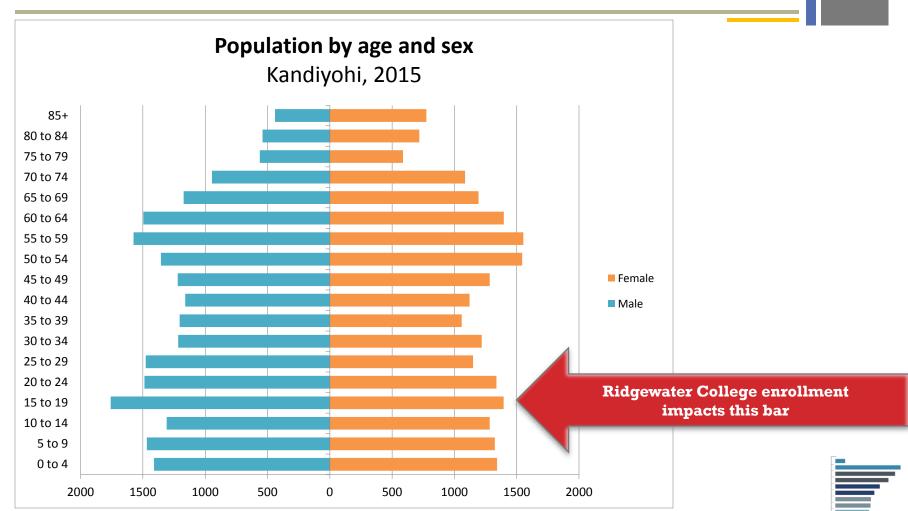
+ What Minnesota will look like... next year (2015)

MN population by age and sex, 2015

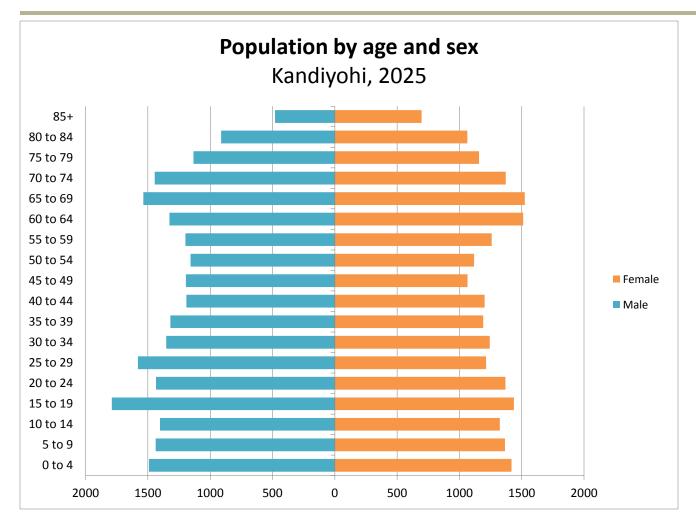




What Kandiyohi County will look like... next year

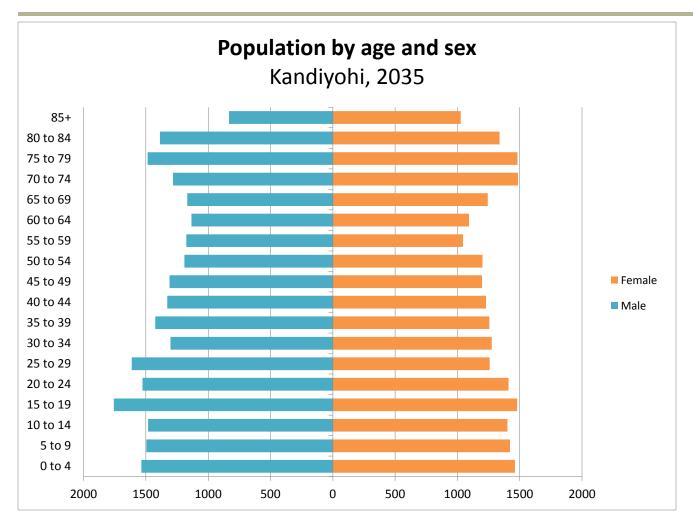


What Kandiyohi County will look like... in 11 years





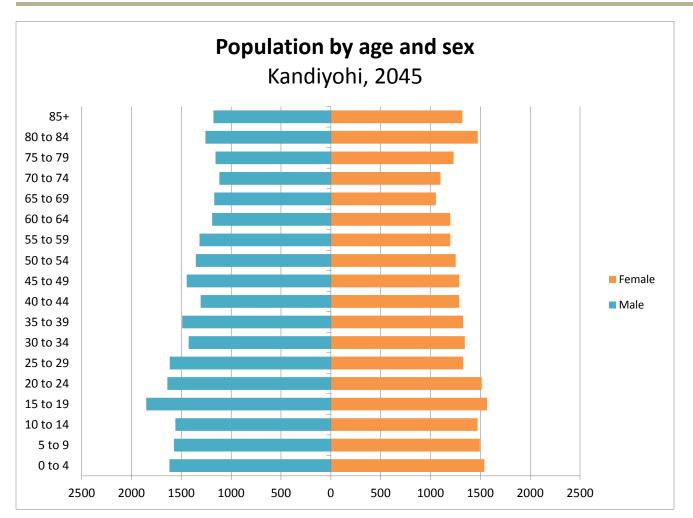
What Kandiyohi County will look like... in 21 years







What Kandiyohi County will look like... in 31 years





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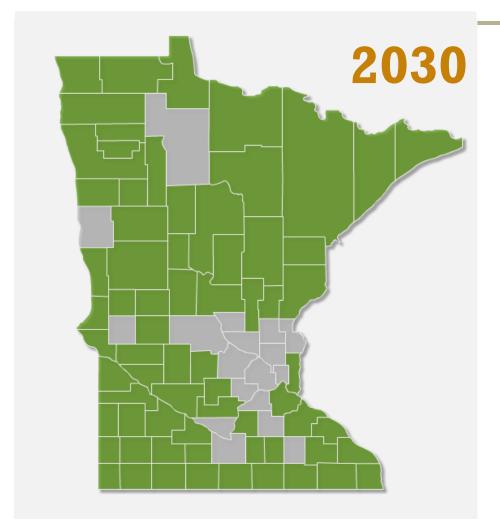
Our Projections Page: mn.gov/demography/projections

- Find state, county and Economic
 Development
 Region projections to 2045, by age and gender
- Explore population pyramids for all counties through 2045





By 2030, only a handful of counties will not have 1 in 5 older adults

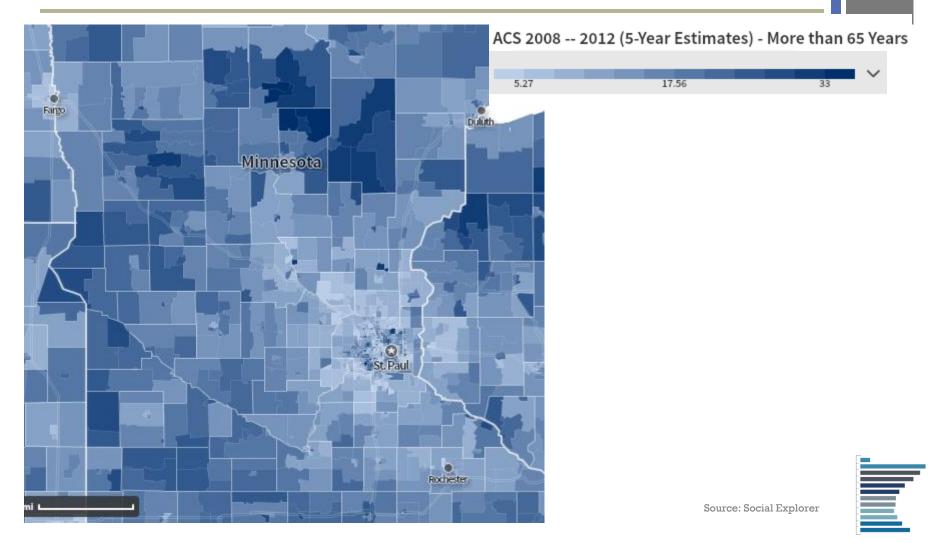


More than 1 in 5 people age 65 or older:

- In 22 counties (2010)
- In 48 counties (2020)
- In 69 counties(2030)

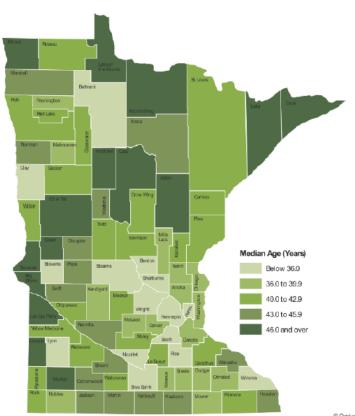
Explore how your local area compares (down to census tracts) in our Map & Viz Gallery at mn.gov/demography

Higher percentages of older adults (65+) – patterning is very local



Median age in the darkest counties is 46 or older

Median Age, 2013





 Fast-growing counties with young families, large institutions of higher education, or large minority populations tend to have a lower median age.

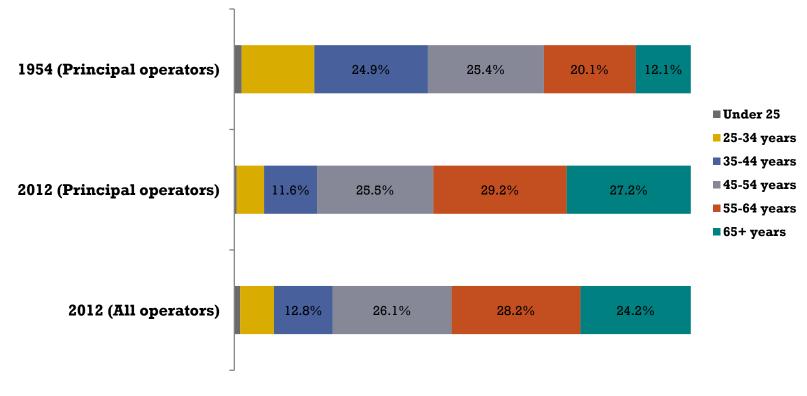
Data source: U.S. Census Bureau © Center for Rural Policy and Development





About a quarter of Minnesota farmers are age 65 or older

Minnesota farmers by age







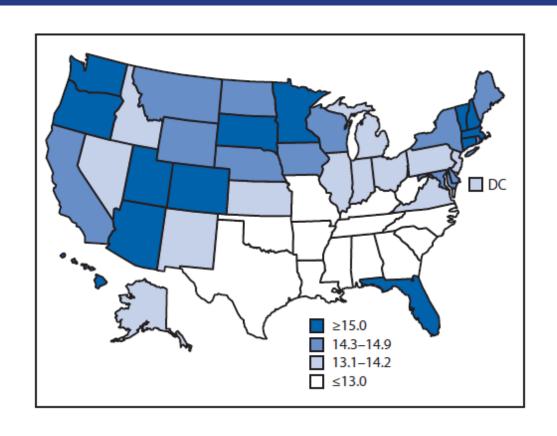
Aging: not what it used to be...

- Minnesota's older adults are healthier, living longer, and working longer than prior generations
 - Life expectancy for Minnesotans age 65 now is 20.1 more years (15.6 years in good health)
 - Variations across racial, educational, other groups
 - Minnesota's Boomers and older adults volunteer in record numbers





Healthy life expectancy at age 65 – Minnesota leads most states

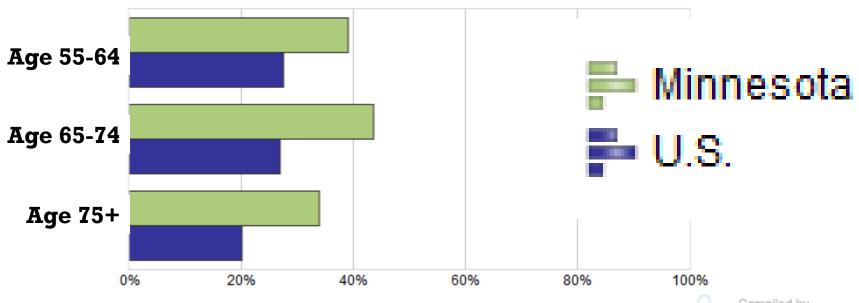


Source: Centers for Disease Control, 2013

MN's older adults more likely to volunteer than across the U.S.

Older adults who volunteered in the past year by detailed age

Minnesota and U.S., 2010-2012

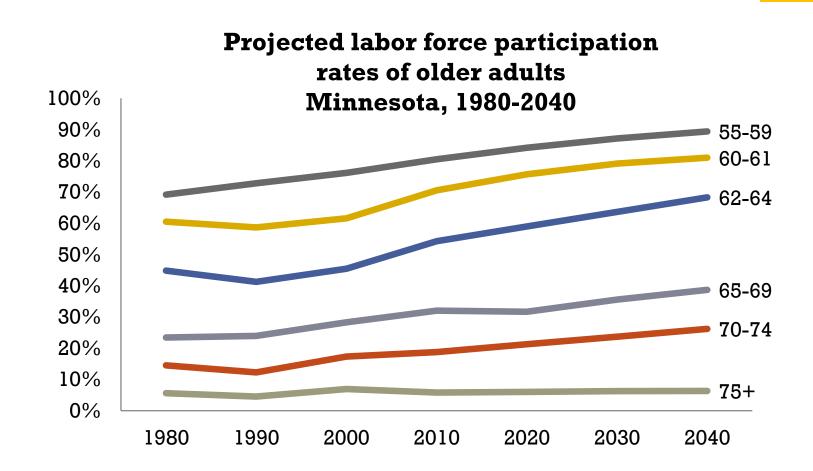








Older adults projected to remain in the labor force longer than before

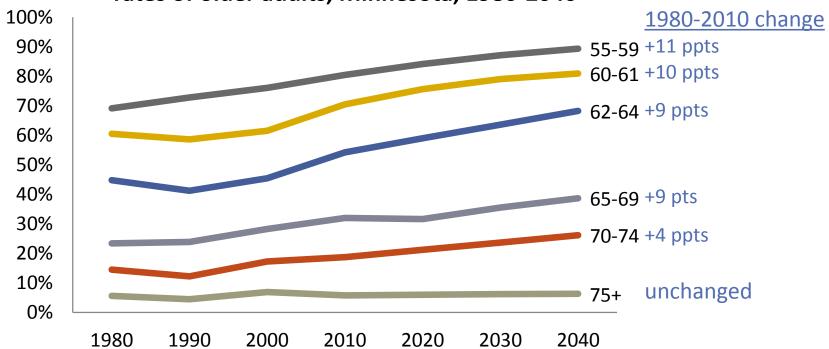






55- to 74-year-olds projected to remain in the labor force longer than before, continuing trend

Historical and projected labor force participation rates of older adults, Minnesota, 1980-2040

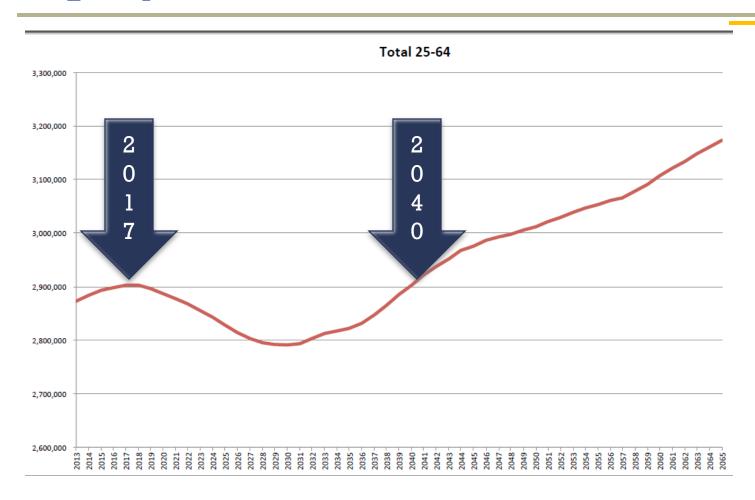








Total 25- to 64-year-olds in MN will dip by about 100,000 individuals







The ratio of retirees to workers has never come as close as it will

2010

2030

1 retiree

1 retiree

5 workers

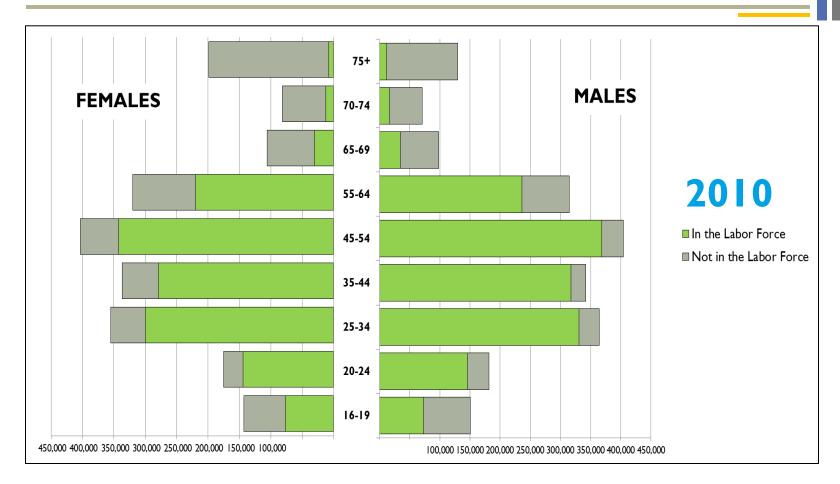
3 workers

We need to develop, retain, and attract human capital to compete economically





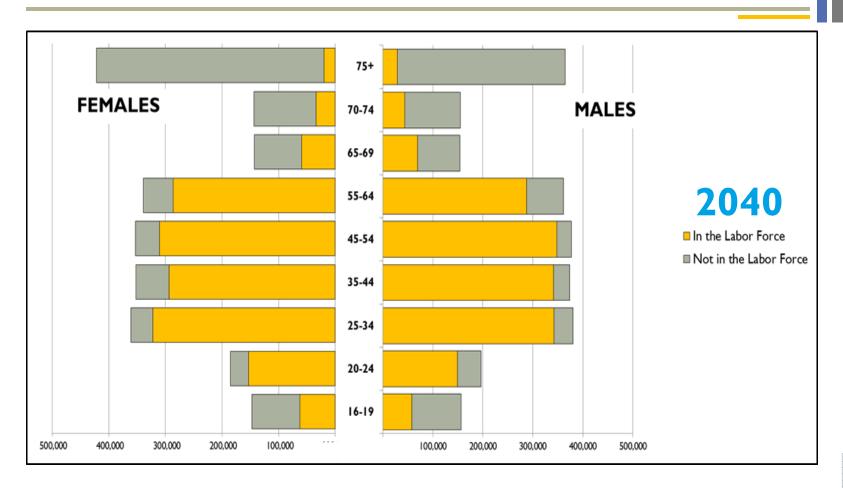
Population in and out of the labor force in 2010







Population in and out of the labor force in 2040 (projected)







Challenges related to our aging population

- Will we have the workers to form a strong, skilled, highly productive labor force as the Boomers retire for economic growth, tax revenues for needed services, and maintaining a high quality of life in MN?
- Will we have or create sufficient infrastructure for more transportation, caregiving, health care, and social support needs, as health challenges and disabilities increase, especially when children live far away?
- Will we be able to finance needed services, especially long-term care? Private and public medical expenses will increase considerably.



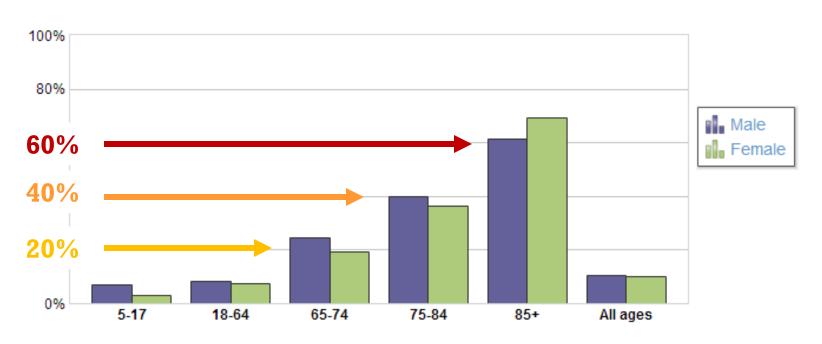


Aging brings rising rates of disability among those living in the community



Percent with a disability by gender and age

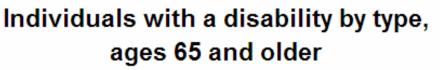
Minnesota, 2011



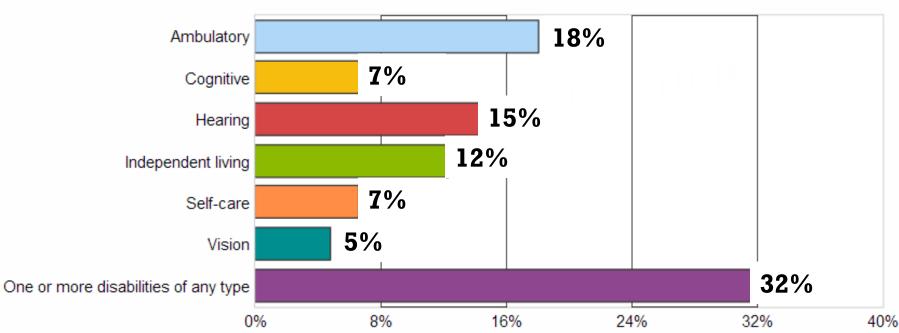




Types of disabilities among older adults *living in the community*



Minnesota, 2012

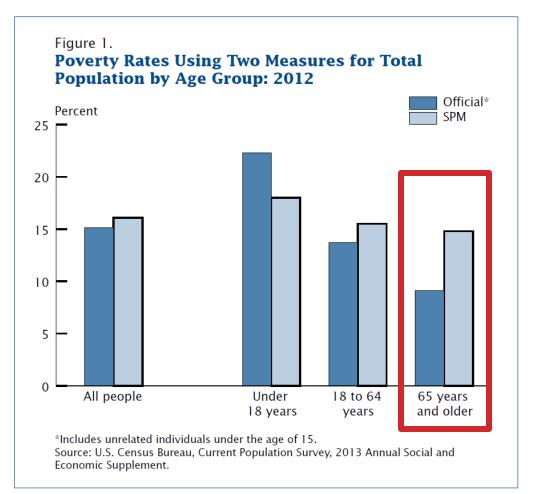


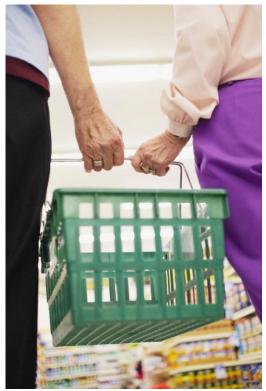


Sources: U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey, via MNCompass.org.

Note: Relates only to the civilian, non-institutionalized population with a serious difficulty in one or more of four basic areas of functioning: vision, hearing, ambulation, and cognition.

65+ more likely to experience true economic hardship than we thought



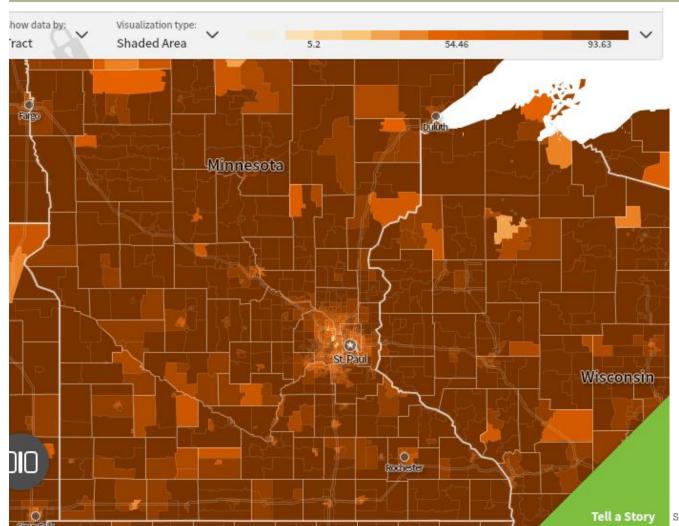


Source: U.S. Census Bureau, November 2013, The Research Supplemental Poverty Measure: 2012 Report P60-247





White, non-Hispanic population (higher % = darker), 2010

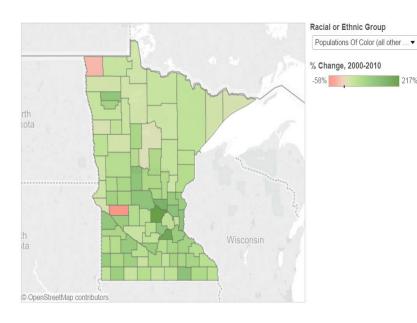


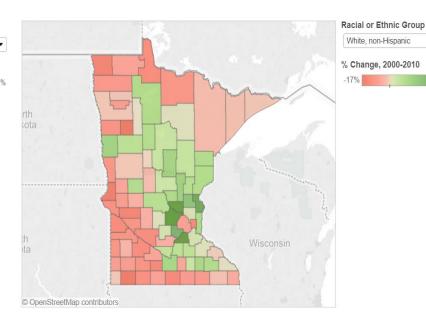


2000-2010: Populations of Color led growth in state

Population of Color:
Growth in all but 2 counties
statewide

White, Non-Hispanic Population: Growth in only 37 of 87 counties statewide

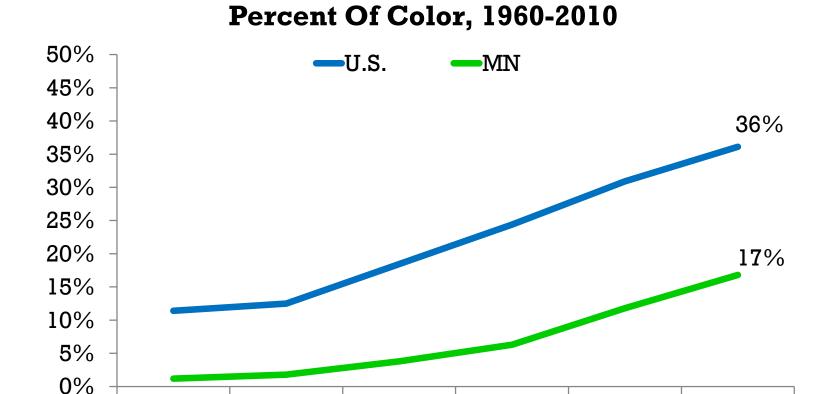








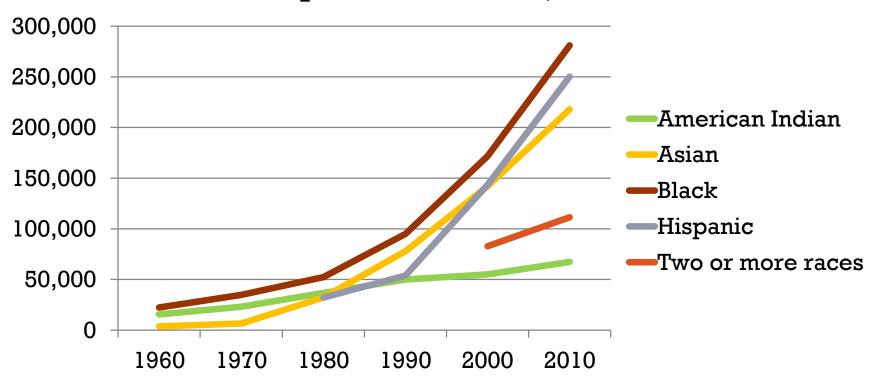
50 years of growing diversity in our state and nation





Black, Latino and Asian populations growing rapidly in MN

Populations of color, MN

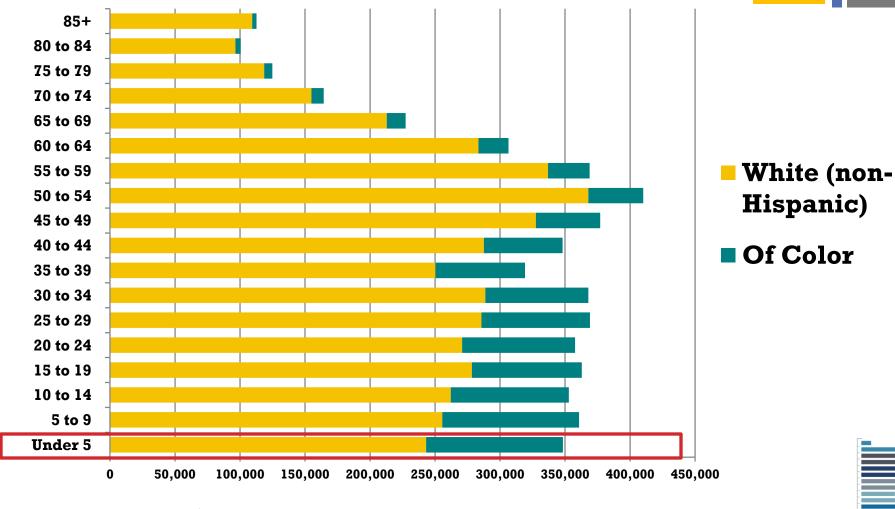


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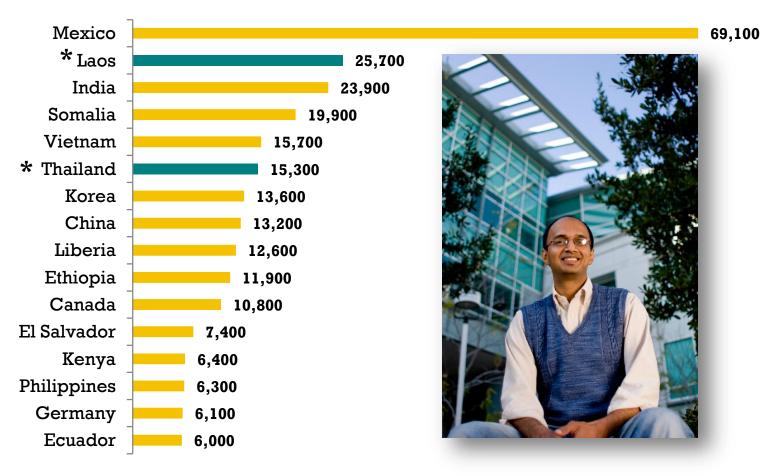




Minnesota's population by age groups, 2012



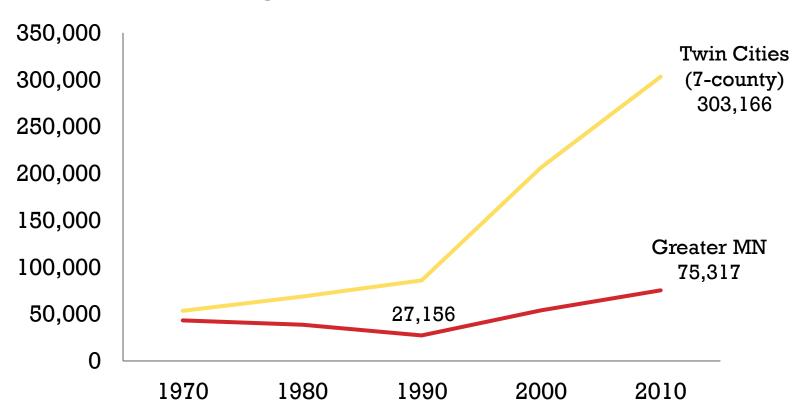
MN foreign-born population: Largest groups by country of birth, 2009-2011



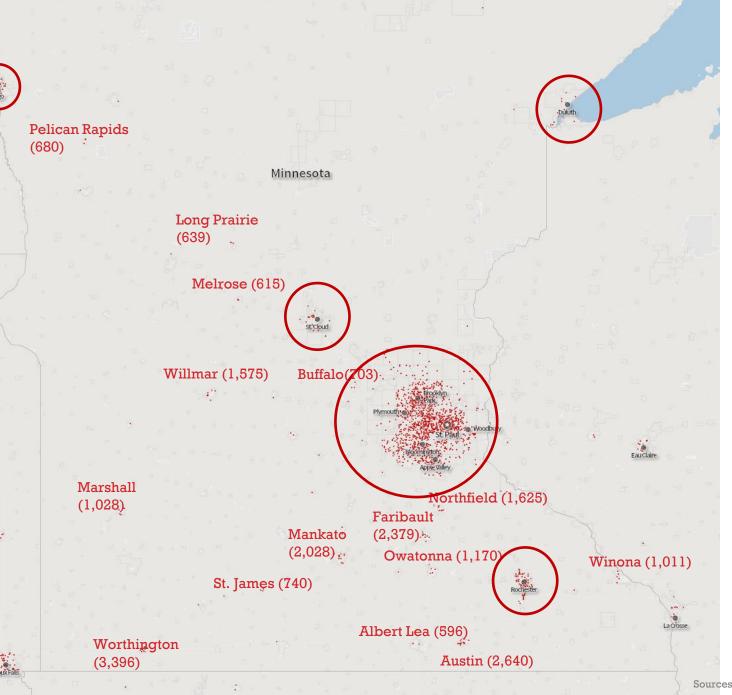


+Growth of immigrant communities in Twin Cities and Greater Minnesota

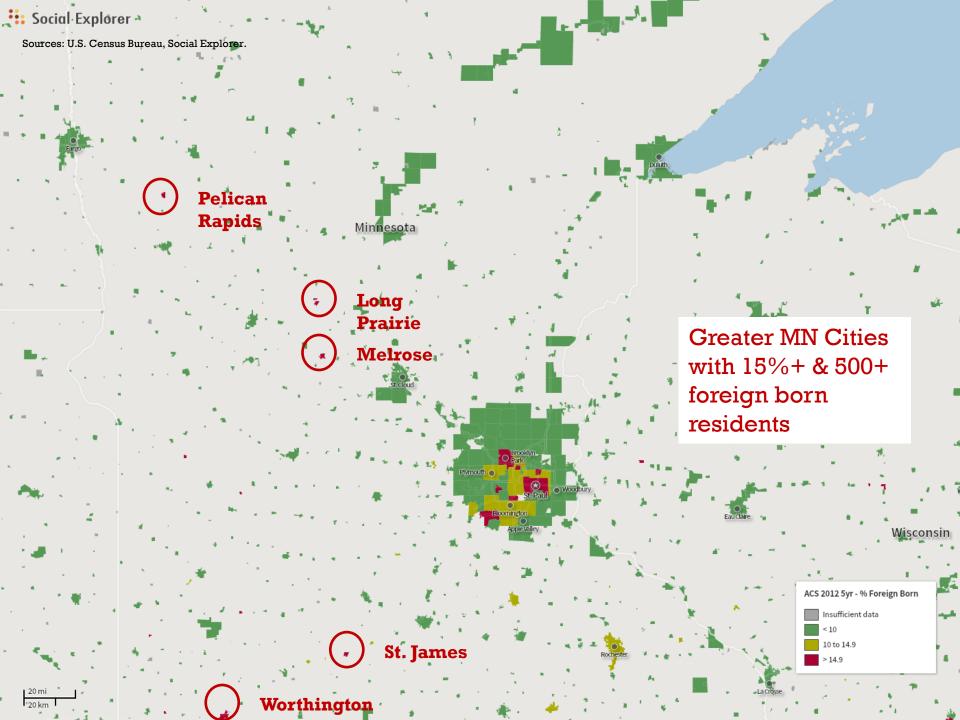
Foreign-born residents, 1970-2010



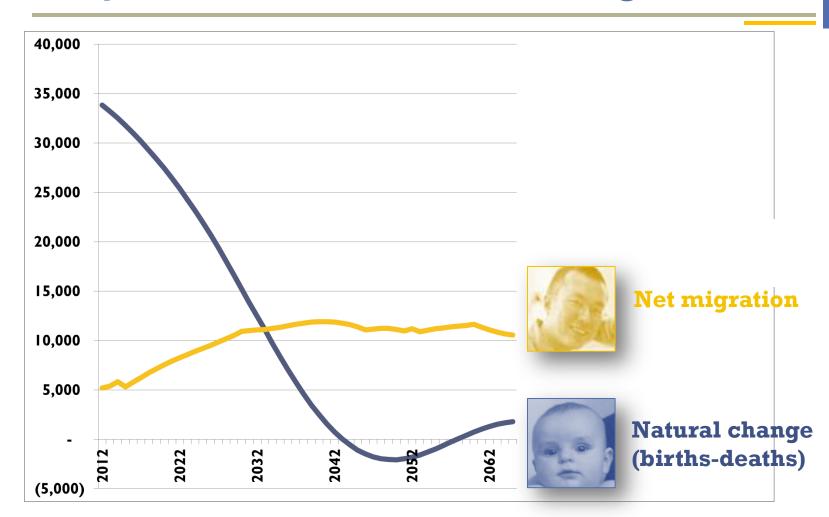




One dot =500 foreign-born



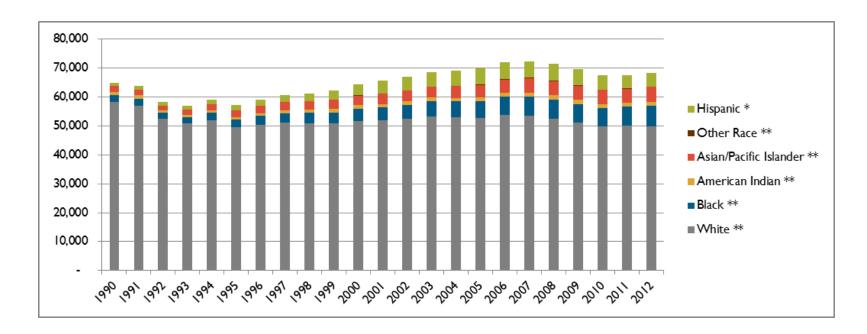
Net migration will become the major driver of our state's growth







Births in Minnesota by race of the mother

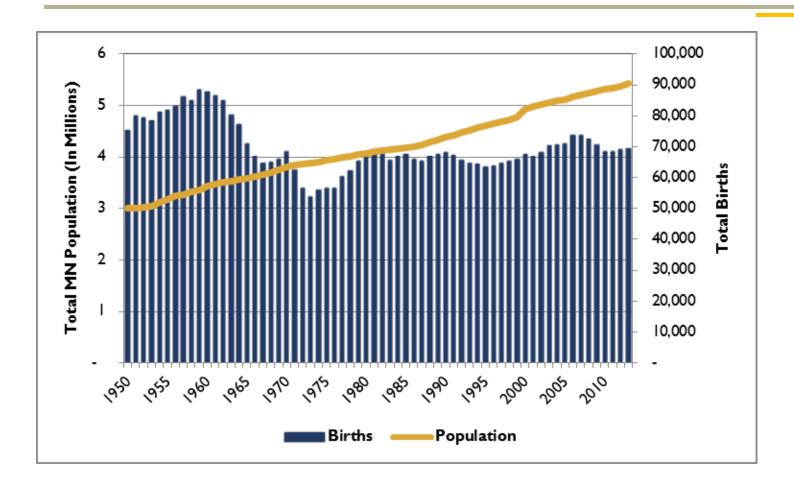


■ Nearly all growth in births since 1995 is due to mothers who are races other than White (non-Hispanic)





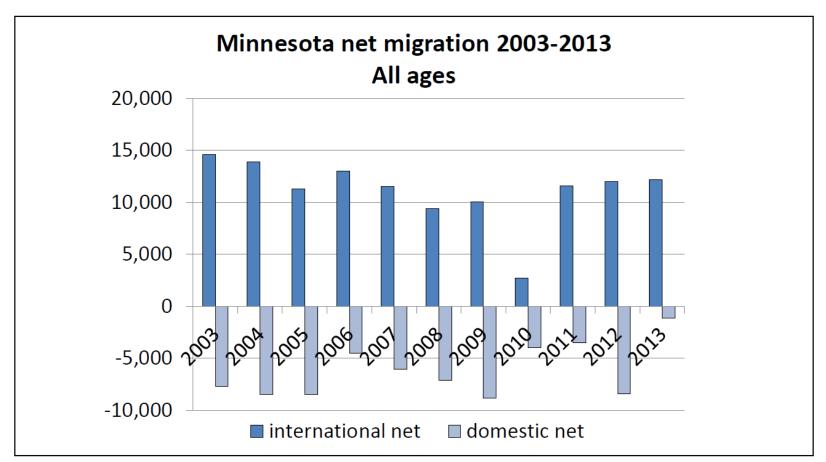
MN total population growth has outpaced growth in births







MN domestic migration has been negative every year of past decade







- During the past three years, Minnesota lost an average of about 4,400 residents per year (net) to domestic migration i.e. Minnesotans heading to other states.
- It is only because of additional flows of about 12,000 international migrants that Minnesota experiences net gains about 8,000 people annually.

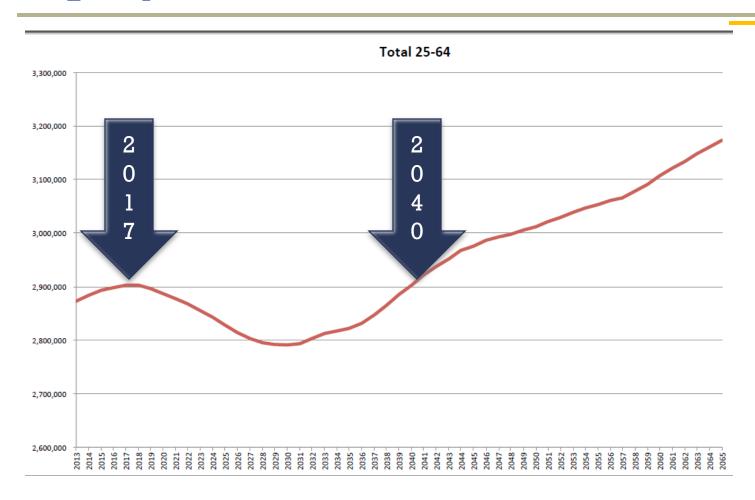
The same trend holds for the working-age population.

Immigration is filling many labor force needs in Minnesota and will grow more important as more Boomers leave the labor force.





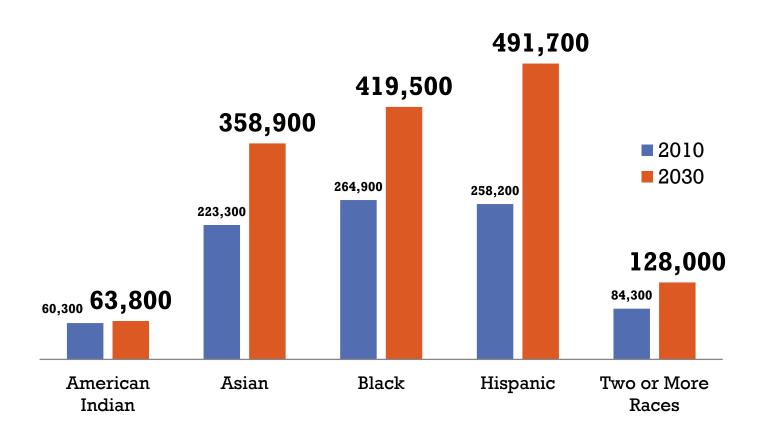
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MN: Largest growth among Asian, Black and Hispanic groups by 2030







Take-away thoughts for all Minnesotans

- All areas of the state will feel effects of an aging population, some places much more acutely
- The aging of our state will create fierce debates about where to spend scarce public dollars
- Fewer workers relative to older adults puts a premium on developing, retaining, and attracting skilled workers
 to fuel continued economic growth and to pay for needed public services
- Poor educational, health and economic outcomes for our fast-growing populations of color jeopardize our economic competitiveness and quality of life for all



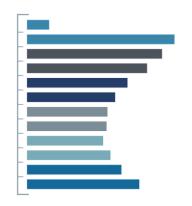
Four parting thoughts for leaders in Greater Minnesota

- Immigration is a necessary part of our future if we are to grow and fuel the economy – more skilled hands and clever minds will be needed to shore up labor force as Boomers exit
- 2. Protect, strengthen and promote assets that make rural and Greater Minnesota attractive to newcomers and "boomerangs"
- 3. Consider new opportunities that become available to rural MN as the knowledge economy continues to take shape via broadband, etc.
- 4. Innovation and creativity will be necessary!





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- New interactive maps and data visualizations
- Featuring a new blog, guidance for data users, and more
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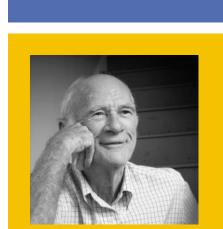






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